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Minden water tests are double number required

by Matthew Sitler

According to Peterborough's District Manager of the Ministry of the Environment, the Minden Water Treatment Plant is taking double the required number of weekly water sample tests.

Bruce Hancock says the Minden Water Treatment site takes a series of four bacteriological water samples weekly. One week each month an additional test is also done. This is more than double the amount required.

"They're doing just fine," said Hancock, who reiterated the specified water sampling requirements. "At the minimum, one bacteriological sample should be taken from the distribution system weekly, and since you need at least nine samples taken per month, Minden is sampling more than double its required amount."

Under the provincial government's Operation Clean Water, which was unveiled August 8, new regulations apply to the water treatment and distribution systems including municipal waterworks and other large systems - regulations the Minden site is in compliance with at present. These include:

•Regular and frequent sampling and testing of water;

• Stringent treatment requirements for all drinking water;

• Micro-biological and chemical testing to be conducted exclusively by accredited laboratories;

• Clear requirements for the immediate, person-to-person communications of reports of potentially unsafe water situations to the Ministry of the environment, the local Medical Officer

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There was lots of clowning around Saturday on Minden's Main Street as the Haliburton County Fair Parade wound its way through the community. Adding to the colourful array of floats, bands and marchers were these three, Jocelyn Anderson, Jim Minto and Brady Anderson. For more pictures from the parade, see page 19. For a report on this year's Fall Fair Ambassador, see page 16.

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Fair organizers left out in the cold by Funland

by Matthew Sitler

It's fair to say a lot of people were incensed at the lack of adult amusement rides at the Minden Fairgrounds this past weekend. Toronto-based Funland Outdoor Amusements Ltd., the company which had signed a contract to provide adult-themed rides at this year's fair, was conspicuously absent, leaving innocent fair organizers to take the blame from an obviously upset, midway-deprived public.

"We had Funland Outdoor Amusements last year and had him (Funland owner John Robertson) sign a three-year contract so we would have the continuity of having a good Midway," said Haliburton County Fair Co-Organiser and Treasurer of the Minden Agricultural Society Gwen Robinson. "About a month ago, he called us to say he was in business with a partner and they had run into difficulties which he didn't explain any further, and that he would no longer be able to fulfill that contract."

Robinson added that Robertson said he had arranged for someone else to come in his place. "And this is what we got," said Robinson. "There are no adult rides, nothing to keep teenagers here at night, two or three little kiddie-rides and a couple of games. It is such a disapointment."

Earlier last week, two to three of these rides arrived at the fairgrounds.

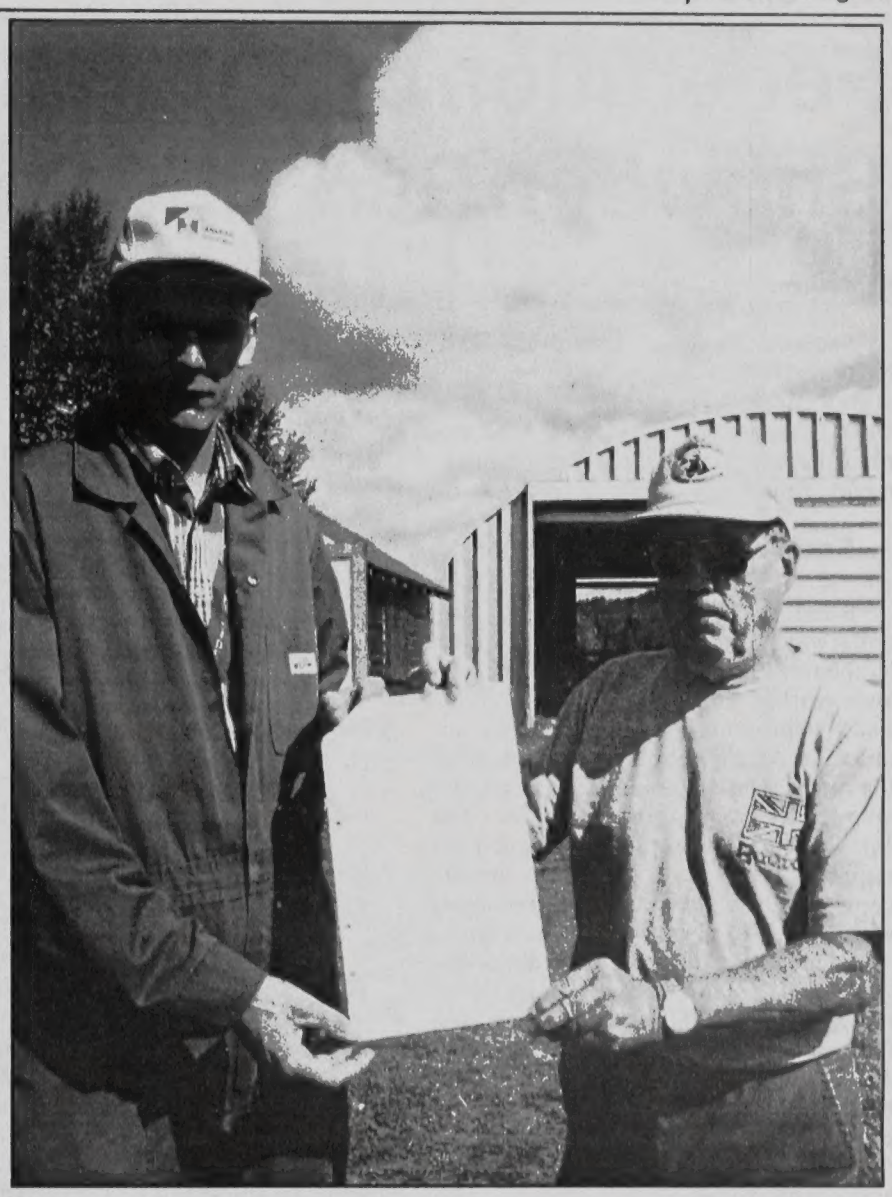
"It was our understanding that they would stay here," said Robinson. "But it looks like they got a better deal and they went somewhere else."

Gwen Robinson said that Haliburton County Fair organisers will be making a formal complaint to the Ontario Agricultural Society in an attempt to ensure there would be a guarantee that future contracts remain honoured. "If these amusement people promise you something, there should be a governing body which will step in and deliver a penalty to them if they don't," said Robinson. "John Robertson promised us $1,000 if we got a big name to come and play on Friday night in order to draw more people in. So we went whole-hog and got the look-alike tributes Shania Twin and Brooks and Dunn, so we are really out on a limb."

Robinson said a lot of disgruntled people have complained about the lack of rides. "It's 'What's wrong with the midway this year?', and comments like that," she said. "Everything else is great. The tribute bands were absolutely fantastic and our exhibit booths are excellent.

"Throughout the entire year, we felt our midway was secure," Robinson continued, "We thought we had that looked after - it was such peace of mind for us."

As it turned out, the Spider, Giant Himalaya, Tilt-A-Whirl, Berry-Go-Round, Giant Wheel Rampage and other exciting fair rides were not experienced by the fair visitors, many of whom had a great time, but left having hoped for a little more.



Haliburton County Fair President Paul Walker (left) and Past President Geoff Robinson hold the contract that was not honoured.

Conference sheds light on new water regulations

by Matthew Sitler

Anson Hindon and Minden Public Works Superintendent Clayton Cameron says an engineer's report concerning the municipality's water treatment system will be due by November 30.

The new development comes in light of a day-long conference which was hosted at the Holiday Inn in Barrie, Tuesday, August 15, by the MOE on the issue of new water regulations.

"The new regulation has firmed-up what was in the Ontario Water Resources Act," said Cameron who was in attendance. "Now you have to do things as opposed to it having been a choice before." Cameron said that while the new regulation will probably not change the Minden water treatment site's protocol specifically, the option to comply was the issue.

The new Ontario Water Resources Act regulation comes into effect August 26. The report, which must be completed by an engineer who did not design the water treatment site in question, and who must be familiar with water treatment systems, will determine if any changes in treatment and sample protocol are necessary in order to fully comply with the new regulation.

"The engineer's report will clarify that," said Cameron. Private operations are not required to have an engineer's report done, but are expected to comply with the new regulation as well. "In that case, it's the owner's responsibility to comply with the regulation," said Cameron.

The Public Works Superintendent said the MOE has ask for proposals from engineers to carry out the study, and hopes to have that answer by the first of September. "The individual must be an engineer who has worked in the water sanitation field, and he/she must have expertise in that area," said Cameron. "When you talk about a business entity which is supplying water to the public, if they pump 250,000 litres a day, they are included and must comply with the regulation."

The regulation does not apply to a water treatment or distribution system that supplies 50,000 litres of water or less on at least 88 days in every 90-day period, unless the system serves more than five private residences. "So you can serve more than five residences and only produce 10,000 litres a day which isn't a lot of water, but you would still be contained in this regulation."

Cameron said that another stipulation which will likely affect restaurants and some small businesses is specified as well. "If you are pumping a lot of water that is only for your businesses use, and you are producing 250,000 litres of water a day, you are contained within this regulation as well." Cameron said the MOE is developing criteria at present to deal with small waterworks systems.

"Trailer parks are a perfect example of this," said Cameron. "It's my understanding they are going to be obligated, under the guideline, to asses their systems." In these cases, it will be the MOE which will make sure they are complying with the new regula-

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Federation of Naturalists considers new Snowdon Park development at annual meeting

by Matthew Sitler

Snowdon Park was the site of Haliburton Highlands Field Naturalists eighth annual general meeting last week. This year's meeting provided ample time to reflect on past accomplishments, future concerns and proposals.

The annual meeting of the Haliburton Highlands Federation of Naturalists held its annual meeting under a leafy canopy at Snowdon Park. The organization has been assisting with the development of the park over the past few years.

Snowdon Park committee report

Brenda Chambers got things underway by updating the group on happenings at Snowdon Park. "The balance within our Snowdon Park Trust Fund at present is $1,394.25," she announced. "Last week I went through all the notes and comments from people who have written in the diary since last July. About 200 people have signed the register. There are a lot of favourable comments, mostly about improvements we've made to the park over the year."

Last fall, Eco-Tourism students began a project which consisted of creating a development plan for Snowdon Park. The proposal, presented to Snowdon Township, included the recommendation that any future development in Snowdon Park should include:

(A) an environmental impact assesment;

(B) improvement on signage and brochures;

(C) picnic area and parking area spruce-ups and

(D) an informal interpretive program be established at the Park.

The proposal had a budget of $10,000 of which $7000 would go toward the hiring of a consultant and the writing of a comprehensive plan. "When I first saw those numbers," said Chambers, "My immediate thought was 'This is not the way to go.'"

Chambers said she was concerned about putting so much money into planning. "If we had that amount of money available to us," she said, "we could probably achieve more tangible results." In any case, Snowdon Township approached the Haliburton Development Corporation, said Chambers. "They actually received a $1000 commitment toward such a proposal." It was proposed the Snowdon Park Trust Fund could be included to make up the rest of the $10,000 proposal's cost - but this was not accepted.

Amalgamation may affect the park

"We are going to have a new Reeve, and it may well be Ross (Rigney)," said Chambers. "If so, all the better for us. We will also have a new Recreation Coordinator who will have say over everything that happens within the amalgamated municipality. Obviously, there will be need to re-visit the agreement that we have with Snowdon. The operations plan will have to be re-visited and perhaps re-written upon amalgamation."

Chambers suggested there were questions revolving around how much development the park will need in the future. "Do we want a formally-interpretive program where we have a summer student bringing groups out here on a regular basis?," she asked. "Or do we want to focus on things such as more boardwalks?" Chambers said there have been suggestions to build a boardwalk which reached out on the

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Editorials

Sign, sign, everywhere a sign

We must add our support to the comments expressed below in the letter to the editor by C. Ian Tate. In particular we have found the intrusion of commercial signs to be a blight upon the beauty of the Highlands.

These signs come in a variety of shapes and sizes. The officially sanctioned and rent-paying field advertising signs or billboards are probably never going to go away. These signs generate revenue for the provincial government and it is highly unlikely it is about to turn its back on a source of revenue, no matter how insignificant, just to ensure the beauty of the land is unmarred.

In particular, we noted with dismay the proliferation of field advertising signs on Highway 118 between Carnarvon and the Bracebridge boundary. At one time, this was one of the few stretches of Highway in this part of the province without the intrusion of a billboard. It is too bad this entrance to the county could not have been designated a sign-free zone.

Even more troubling is the number of small, often homemade, signs, which are tacked on trees, hydro poles or whatever backing can be found. Often on back roads where one expects to find the glory of the Highlands, these signs rudely impose themselves on the many vistas, devaluing our natural surroundings. In many cases the signs are not monitored so that as they age, they are left to deteriorate, eliminating their usefulness as well as being a blight on the environment.

The municipalities should follow the lead set by the county a number of years ago and ban these signs from all roads in the Highlands. Or, as an alternative, create "sign trees" at various points. These ideally would be at locations which would not intrude upon a vista and where drivers could safely pull over to examine the offers being made by various businesses. These sign trees could be cleared, once a year, in the spring for example, to ensure the information is current and the signs are in good repair.

There are a number of states in the U.S. and countries in Europe in particular, which have realized that a spectacular view is much more valuable and aesthetically pleasing than any return that could be generated from the imposition of a billboard or advertising message. It is time for the Highlands to adopt a similar attitude and make sure we do not spoil the beauty we know visitors come here to enjoy. **jb**

Letters

Noise and signs intrude on the beauty of the Highlands

Editor:

Yes, we want to maintain Haliburton as the attractive County we know it to be, and let others - indeed, encourage others - to enjoy it too. But there are two elements that are spreading insidiously throughout the county and should be stopped before we suffer the fate so many deplore that has overtaken too many popular lakes.

One is uncontrolled noise, destroying the tranquility for which Haliburton has long been known. The other is the unsightliness of advertising signs stuck up on trees, poles and posts.

One does not have to be on a lake to suffer from inconsiderate noise-makers: inadequately muffled motor-cycles, for example; uncontrolled dogs that ruin days and nights with their howling and barking. (One person within earshot of my and others' places had, at last count, nine dogs leashed outside. The racket they make, particularily if there is a bear around, is unbelievable. Day or night. Yes, nine!

Some signs are necessary: those pertaining to specific real estate properties, ski-trail directions, cottage directions, etc. But surely signs need not be allowed to be posted anywhere, at the whim of the advertiser. (There is a small public access to Davis Lake. A lovely spot, marred by some advertiser's sign hammered just out of reach on a tree.)

So if the area is to anticipate unprecedented growth, let's establish some degree of control, that all may enjoy what nature has so bountifully given us in Haliburton. Let's start with enforcable bylaws. Uncontrolled noise and eyesores we neither need or want.

C. Ian P. Tate,
Port Hope.

Clarification

The letter from Teresa Kasepchuk, which appeared in last week's edition of The Times, should have indicated that she was the Haliburton County Fall Fair Ambassador. We apologise for any confusion created.

Looking for more candidates

Editor:

Thank you for reporter Jerry Grozelle's fair, even-handed report on the angry protest at our last Lutterworth Council meeting (August 14).

I can understand people getting upset when someone spreads the rumour that the new SLAHM Council plans to open a mega-dump on the old site. When you read the lies told about the dump by the Scugog River in Lindsay on the front page of the Toronto Star, you can also see why people do not trust any politician - board or otherwise.

Your rather tongue-in-cheek editorial on the qualifications necessary to run for local council perhaps explains why we only have 11 people so far running for the seven positions on SLAHM. Considering that we are paying a big buck for a mail-in election, it would be nice if our ratepayers had a dozen or so more people to vote for.

Thanks for helping to keep our Times rolling while the editor was off in the "City of Lights."

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A new emphasis on organ donations

Queen's Park Report
by Chris Hodgson, MPP

As MPP for Haliburton Victoria-Brock, I would like to take the opportunity to discuss our government's goal to double the rate of organ donation by the year 2005.

Canada ranks among the lowest of all developed countries for organ donation. For example, in 1996, Canada's donation rate was 14.1 donors per million people, compared to Spain's rate of 28.6 donors per million and the United States' rate of 17.1 donors per million. On January 12, 2000 Premier Mike Harris announced the members of the Premier's Advisory board on Tissue and Organ Donation, chaired by hockey legend Don Cherry.

Recently, this Board issued its recommendations for a provincial Organ Donor Action Plan. The report includes a plan to increase funding from $47 million to over $120 million by 2005, with new incentives and dedicated funding for organ donation. Our government will introduce new legislation this fall to help hospitals increase the number of organ and tissue donations and transplants. We will also create the Trillium Gift of Life Network - a new central agency to manage the organ donation process and increase public awareness about organ donation.

Currently, organ donation mostly occurs from individuals in hospital who have signed the donor card included with driver's licence renewals. A donor consent form is now also part of the new photo health cards issued by OHIP. The donor's wishes are recorded in the computer and can be seen each time the card is scanned. A person can change his or her mind at any time by contacting OHIP to have the information removed from the card.

However, regardless of whether a donor card is signed, families are approached and, in practice, their wishes take precedence. That is why it is so important to ensure that your family is aware of your views and wishes regarding organ donation.

With the premier's announcement, our government is allocating $2.1 million this year to help fund the provincial organ donation registry and towards organ donation education campaigns in the province. In 1998, the MORE program conducted a poll to determine the level of awareness and attitudes toward organ donation in Ontario. It was found that 4 in 10 people claimed to have signed an organ donor card. However, many of those who had not signed a card indicated that they simply hadn't thought about the issue.

Organ donation saves lives. We have all heard this phrase, but how often do we really think about whether we would like to donate our organs to save another's life? It can be a difficult topic to discuss, even with our family members.

We know that education and awareness is important to increase the level of donation, and our government hopes to to facilitate discussions like these through our commitment to organ donation programs.

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Arthur Black

Something in the air

So I'm on this airplane flying out of Vancouver and I spot the in flight service cart coming at me down the aisle and I'm happy about that because I'm feeling kind of peckish. The attendant stops beside me, hands me a serviette and a dinky cellophane package of desiccated pretzel sticks.

"Actually, I'd prefer some of those mixed nuts" I tell the attendant.

"We don't serve nuts any longer, sir," she says. And why is that?

"Because some people are allergic to them" she explains. I fight back the urge to point out that some people are allergic to daylight, but we don't paint the windows black. I personally am allergic to cheesy, clumsily-edited in-flight movies, but they still keep showing up on the flights I take.

But about the nut thing: isn't it likely that most people who are allergic to nuts....already know it? Couldn't they be trusted to order the pretzel sticks while the rest of us pig out on peanuts, cashews and pecans?

Who appointed the airlines as our public nursemaid, anyway?

Mind you, it's not just the airlines. I went into a doctor's office the other day and saw a sign on the wall that read: "Please do not wear any fragrances while in this office."

"What's that about?" I ask-and get the same answer: some people are allergic to certain perfumes and aromas.

Swell. Does this apply to Mennen Skin Bracer? What about my underarm roll-on? Can I still wear a rose in my lapel? Does this mean I have to run naked through the car wash before I can get a medical checkup?

Sounds far-fetched - unless you believe what you read in the papers. My local paper tells me that the Workers' Compensation Board is seriously - seriously - considering "scent-related protection in the workplace" laws.

Translation: the government is looking into banning smells.

Ridiculous? You betcha. But that didn't stop some Halifax Mounties last month from threatening to lay charges against a 17-year-old high school student whose Aqua Velva aftershave 'offended' one of his teachers.

I realize that some people are actually discomforted by some aromas, but can I say something simple about that?

Sorry. Too bad. Life isn't fair. Get over it.

The fact is, other people (I suspect the vast majority) actually enjoy the cornucopia of essences and aromas with which life regularly assails us.

I love the smell of wisteria, new-mown hay, frying bacon, single-malt scotch and yes, even horse dung. Smells trigger memories in my brain - sometimes memories that I didn't even know I had.

Rudyard Kipling said it best:

Smells are surer than sound or sights
To make your heartstrings crack.
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That whisper 'Old man, come back!"

Kipling was right. I still can smell those pomegranates in Algeciras, fresh fish in Covent Garden, that jar of talcum powder on mom's dresser and the curl of smoke from my Old Man's smoldering Sportsman plain-end.

I treasure those and every other smell the earth serves up -- including stale cigars, road kill and skunk.

My advice to government policy makers: don't mess with smell - you're not smart enough.

The very idea of 'scent-related protection legislation makes...

Absolutely no scents at all.

HHFN considers Snowdon Park options

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fen, but then wondered what impact this would have on any animals in the park. "These are questions I feel the club members should begin to discuss. We should be able to come up with competent answers without having to hire an outside consultant."

In conclusion, Chambers said the organization has to be prepared to sit down with the new politicians, whoever they may be, and discuss future options.... "And to make sure that the values and direction of this park, which are essentially conservation and preservation, are kept."

Treasurer's Report

The Field Naturalists] membership has decreased over the past year. This was evident, said Keith Coates, in the decrease of membership fee totals.

"Liability insurance is a major expense and I think we can do without it," he continued. "Advertising is too." Coates suggested charging a nominal fee to non-members who attend the society's programs in the future. "I don't think that would be a problem at all," he said.

HHFN yearly membership rates remain at $25 per person and $30 per family.

Program Committee

Sheila Ziman presented the HHFN program committee's report which highlighted the well attended programs the organization held during the past year.

"There was a bit of a seating problem at some of them," she said. "At the executive meeting we asked members to bring any folding chairs they may have to future meetings." Ziman concluded that the organization's leadership would continue on a rotation schedule as usual. Pauline Plooard will act as Secretary, Jean Clarke will look after membership and Brenda Chambers will be responsible for the newsletter.

HHFN members Jean Clarke and Sheila Ziman listen to the proceedings of the annual meeting, August 12, at Snowdon Park.

Water test are double requirements

(from page one)

of Health and the waterworks owner and;

• Public access to all records of large waterworks.

Consultation on testing and reporting requirements and a new regulation for small waterworks will begin shortly. The government will also be proposing measures to ensure the safety of Ontario drinking water for patrons of small establishments which use their own wells or surface water sources. These would include boarding houses, small to medium-size restaurants, tourist lodgings, assembly halls, churches, camps and other outdoor recreation facilities, gas stations and shopping centres. Small schools, small hospitals, long-term care facilities and day nurseries which have their own waterworks might also be part of this group.

The Certificate of Approval for the water treatment plant also calls for a number of tests to be taken in addition to what is specified in the ODWS.

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Warden's Games test skills and sense of humour

The Warden's Games were a part of the Ontario Conservation Officers' Association Convention held at the Leslie M. Frost Centre this past weekend.

Although skill was a definite asset, participants in the games required a considerable amount of assistance from Lady Luck to excel at the type of competition to which they were subjected in Friday's Warden's Games.

Many of the games involved blindfolds, including a canoeing event. This four-person team event required the paddlers in each of the two canoes to be blindfolded. They were instructed to paddle to a buoy about 150 Yards out into Lake St. Nora, relying on the verbal guidance of the team member in the bow. Near the buoy, the two canoes were to rendezvous and the two unblindfolded passengers had to switch canoes. Once that was successfully completed, the paddlers, still blindfolded, manouevred their craft back to the start point.

Not all of the teams survived the switch without capsizing, but the entertainment factor was very high for the spectators.

The horseshoe pitching was also a blindfold event, with team members coaching the pitcher, directing him or her to "aim" a little to the left or right or to add a little velocity. Ringers were few and far between.

A test of officers' sense of touch as well as olfactory sensitivity were also on the day's agenda. Participants were directed, blindfolded, to a water filled pail which contained, among other things, a rock bass, a crayfish and a kiwi fruit. The officers were directed to identify the objects by touch. From there, they were led to another area, where they had to use their sense of smell to identify half a dozen odors, some of which included molasses, cinnamon and the contents of a bottle which was labeled mare urine.

From there, the contestants were allowed to remove their blindfolds to try and identify five small objects. One of those was the track ball from a computer mouse, another appeared to be a cleat from a golf shoe.

Participants also had their shooting skills tested. But it wasn't their .40 calibre service sidearms or even hunting rifles that the officers used to demonstrate their accuracy. This time, slingshots were the weapons of choice and the ammunition was ping pong balls.

Minden District Conservation Officers Tim Rochette and Steve Murray helped organize the games.

A LITTLE TO THE LEFT: A blindfolded competitor lets fly with a horseshoe as a teammate coaches. The competition was part of the Ontario Conservation Officers' Association Convention, held at the Frost Centre this past weekend.

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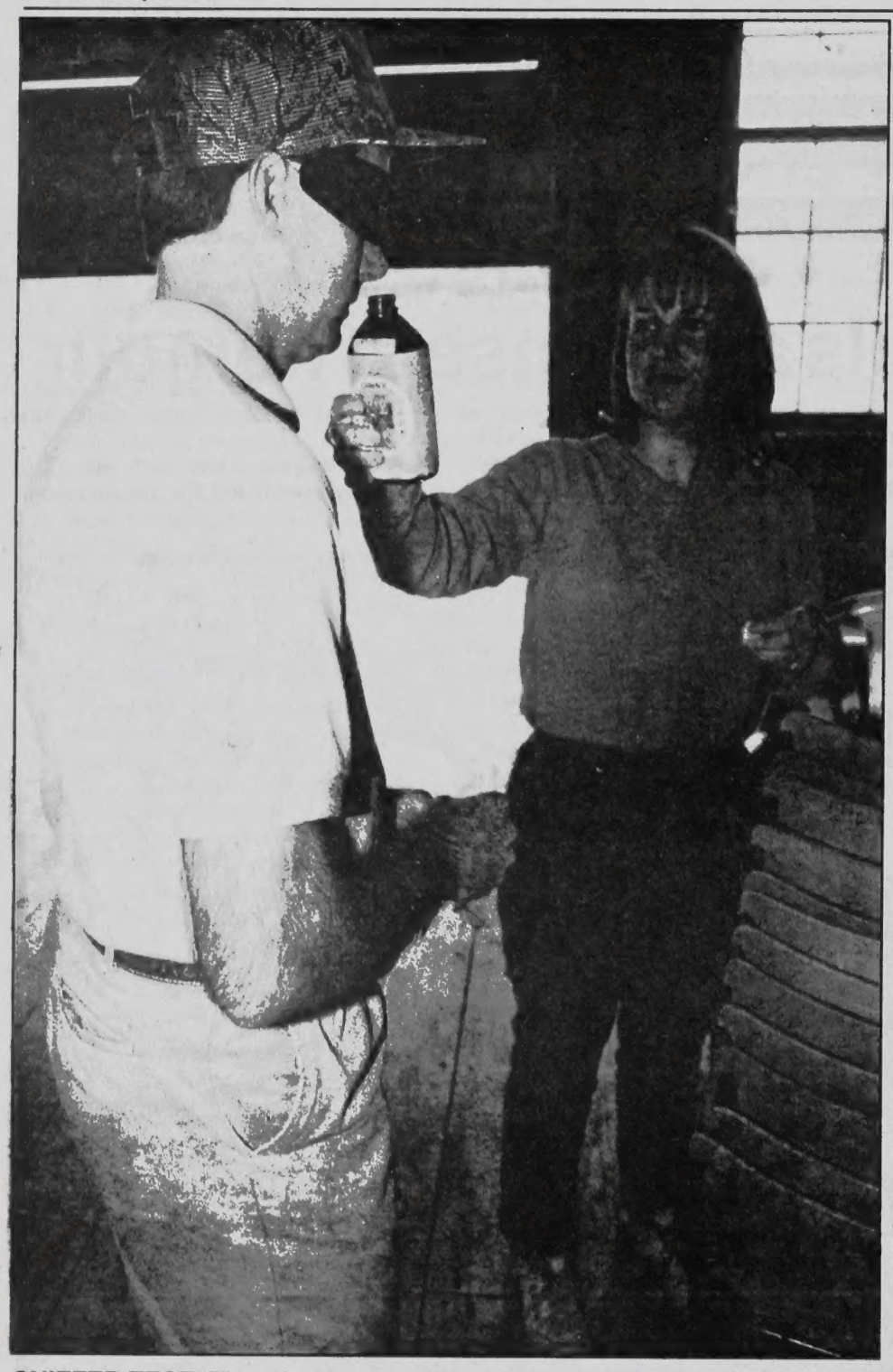
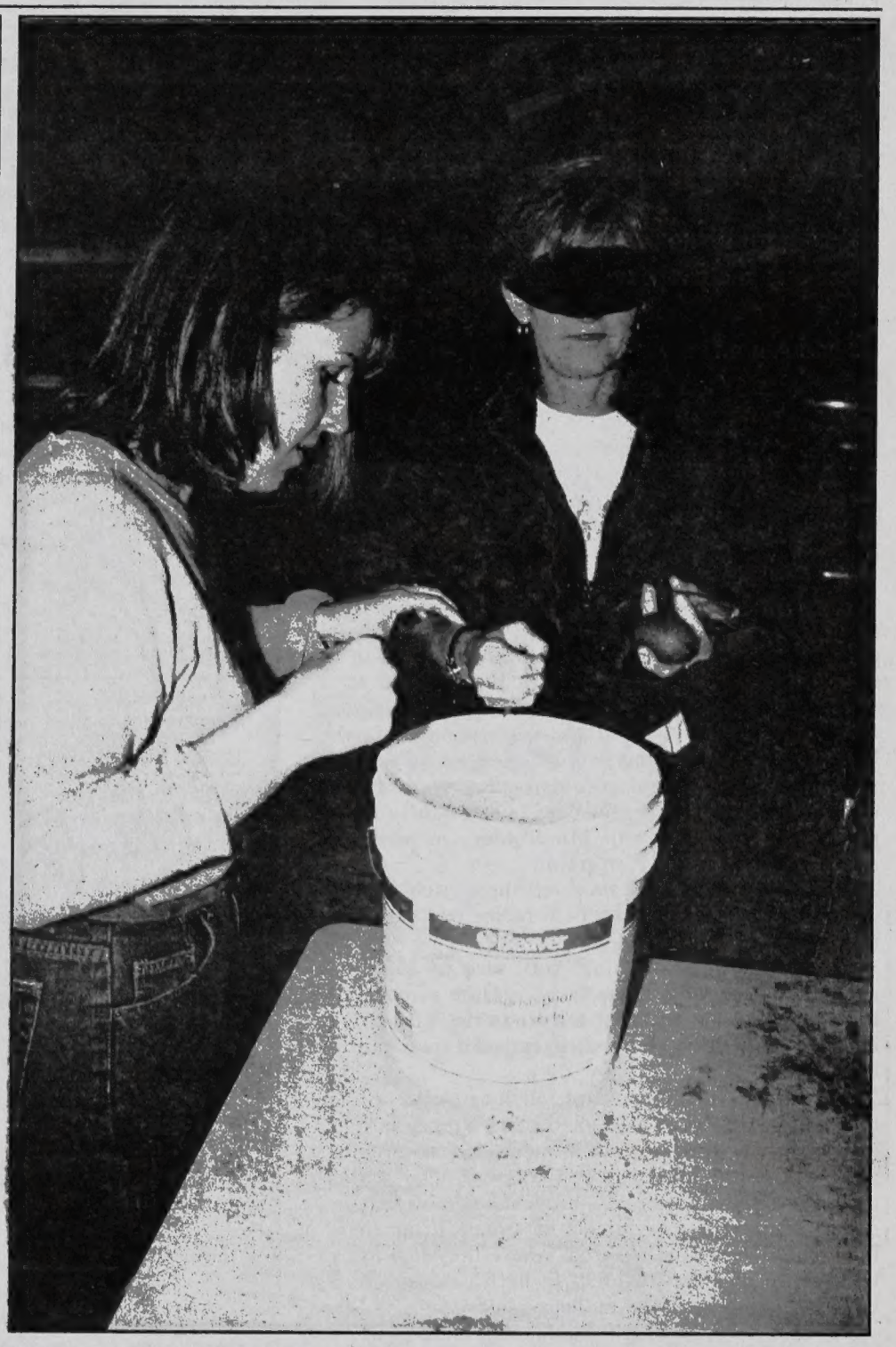


SNIFFER TEST: The olfactory sensitivity of the participants of the Warden's Games was put to the test. A competitor makes his best guess regarding the contents of a bottle labeled mare urine.



TOUCH TEST: Competitors were not sure what they would encounter during the touch test. Denise Dupuis (right) got a surprise in the form of a nip on the finger by a crayfish during this session.

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Meeting set to discuss Balsam and Mitchell Lakes walleye fishery management options

Changes to walleye fishing regulations proposed

The Kawartha Fisheries Association (KFA) is planning a public meeting on Saturday, August 26 at the Coboconk Legion to discuss proposed changes to Ministry of Natural Resources Fishing Regulations as they pertain to walleye (pickerel) fishing on Balsam and Mitchell Lakes.

For several years the KFA, in conjunction with the MNR Kawartha Lakes Fisheries Assessment Unit (KLFAU), has been studying the declining walleye population. In the spring of this year, the KFA, with the encouragement and technical support of MNR Peterborough District, formed a Walleye Focus Group to review data collected with the intention of making recommendations, if required, concerning fisheries management options on Balsam Lake.

The Walleye Focus Group is comprised of both professional and lay representatives from most facets of the resource industry including cottagers, local businesses, anglers, KFA Balsam Lake Chapter, Trent-Severn Waterway, Sir Sandford Fleming College, Trent University, Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters and the MNR.

"It is obvious that the walleye population has been in a steady decline" stated Dave Murray, KFA President and long time resident on Balsam Lake. "It has taken several years for our local Chapter and the MNR to obtain baseline information on the walleye and it is obvious that we must do something to help the upcoming walleye population."

Information gathered indicates that the female walleye are maturing approximately two years later than other walleye in the Kawarthas'. This means that the average mature female is approximately 45.7 cm (18") long and prime for being harvested by anglers without ever having a chance to spawn. The average female walleye matures between five and seven years of age on Balsam Lake. Also, the fishing pressure on Walleye has not fallen off.

"With a high threat to the spawning females, we must look at some way of protecting them. Good year classes of walleye have not been that common in recent years so one of the recommendations made by the Walleye Focus Group will address protecting a good 1997 year class currently in the system." stated Mike Ouellette, KFA Balsam Lake Chapter.

The recommendations that are being put forth by the Walleye Focus Group are;

1. that slot sizes be instituted for Balsam Lake and the adjoining Mitchell Lake to protect walleye between 35cm (14") and 55cm (22") total length. These fish would be protected and must be released.

2. that possession limit be reduced to three from six for regular licenses and one from two for conservation licenses.

The above recommendations were decided upon as a means to protect females until they have reached spawning age and spawned twice. By having the regulations changed, this will also allow the KFA and other groups to continue their examination of the walleye and to hopefully see some of the current efforts, such as creating new walleye spawning beds, take effect.

The meeting at the Coboconk Legion will begin at 10 a.m., with the doors opening at 9 a.m. All interested parties are welcome to attend to hear a presentation from the Walleye Focus Group, have questions answered and to provide input into this very important decision.

For further details call KFA Executive Director, Peter Lindsay at (705) 328-2784.

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Mountain Lake Regatta results

The Mountain Lake Annual Picnic was held Sunday, August 6 at the MNR Landing off Jordan Drive.

A large group turned out despite the threat of rain. Earlier in the year, a beaver dam broke and flooded the area, causing major water washout damage. but this was repaired in time for the picnic.

The following is a list of the results of the day's events:

Swim results: First, Dan Foster; second, Ellen Nubold; third, Chris Mildon

Kick the shoe

Eight and under: First, Brodie Peteran

9 to 15: First, Rob Larabee

16+: First, Tracey Gordon and Peter Southey

Balloon toss

Eight and under: First, Brier Thompson

Nine to 15: First, Kyle and Robbie, 16+ - Peter C. and Steve Forsbrey

Three Legged Race

Eight and under: First, Alex and Loretta Kerr

Nine to 15: Kyle and Robbie

16+: First, Tracey Gordon and Peter Southey

Scavenger hunt: First, Ryan Kerr and family

Canoe Race: First, Paul C. and Steve Forsbrey

Once again, the food committee is to be congratulated on a job well done. And a thank you to all the volunteers who helped with the setup and running of the games and cleaning up afterwards. Your efforts to make the picnic such a wonderful lake event were appreciated.

INTO THE DRINK: A canoe event at the Warden's Games was more entertaining than skill testing.

Al Eskelin rolls 308

Thursday Seniors' League

High average: Addie Dykstra 200; Eleanor Lymer 200

High single: Ray Lymer 206; Edith Alzner 219

High single (handicap): Addie Dykstra 263; Maxine Cross 253

High triple: Addie Dykstra 601; Eleanor Lymer 600

High triple (handicap): Ray Lymer 694; Alice Smallwood 645

Wednesday Night Mixed League

High average: Scott Moore 257; Ann Franke 158

High single: Al Eskelin 308; Ann Franke 198

High single (handicap): Al Eskelin 326; Ann Franke 231

High triple: Walt Stegmaier 697; Ann Franke 489

High triple (handicap): Walter Franke 732; Erna Holtz 618

Minden indoor lawn bowling season comes to an end

By JC Hindle

The Minden indoor Lawn Bowling Club has come to the end of another season, but the good news is that we might be able to bowl again next year, barring any unforseen complications. The club members have all worked hard this year, holding jitneys, garage sales and making other contributions, all of which were very much appreciated.

Many thanks also to Tom Prentice, Home Hardware, and club members who helped store the carpets and accessories for another winter. So, for next year, if each club member brings in just one new member, we should be able to enjoy another season of this great sport.

League scores for the week of August 17:

Monday, 10 a.m.
Jim Hindle 15, Joan Mackenzie 2
Ross Farr 12, Gala Heal 10

Tuesday, 7 p.m.
Howie Ryan 10, Laurel Tompkins 0
Eleanor Young 9, Ross Farr 7

Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.
Howie Ryan 16, Joan Mackenzie 9
Jim Hindle 12, Gala Heal 6

Thursday, 7 p.m.
Eleanor Young 12, Irene Fuhr 11
Lorraine King 12, Joyce Hills 6

Season winners

Monday 10 a.m. League
First - Joan Mackenzie's team
Second - Ross Farr's team
Third - Jim Hindle's team

Tuesday 7 p.m. League
First - Howie Ryan's team
Second - Ross Farr's team
Third - Eleanor Young's team

Wednesday 10:30 a.m. League
First - Jim Hindle's team
Second - Howie Ryan's team
Third - Gala Heal's team

Thursday 7 p.m. League
First - Eleanor Young's team
Second - Lorraine King's team
Third - Irene Fuhr's team

Most games won

The most games won by a morning team were by Joan Mackenzie's team and the most games won by an evening team were by Howie Ryan's team.

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Kawartha Lakes FAQs

In response to a number of inquiries regarding the changes taking place in the municipal government structure in Victoria County, the City of Kawartha Lakes transition board has provided the following summary of frequently asked questions:

Q. How many jobs will be lost because of this restructuring?

A. Until the Task Forces have designed the services we really don't know which positions will be needed. However, in other municipalities, the work force has been trimmed down by eight to 20 per cent. It must be remembered, however, that in other areas the trimming-down of jobs has been handled primarily through attrition and by offering voluntary exit programs. Just because an individual's position disappears, doesn't mean he or she is out of a job. It may offer the opportunity to take a different position.

Q. How does "Area Rating" affect taxation?

A. Area Rating is an assessment of a municipality for a service it will receive. For example, an area with a permanent fire department might pay a higher cost for fire service than an area with volunteers. The idea behind area rating is fairness. If you don't have bus service in your area you shouldn't have to pay for it through your taxes.

Q. How does "Area Rating" affect employees?

A. Not at all. All employees are employees of a single municipality.

Q. On December 31, what will happen to employees of the various municipalities?

A. On January 1, all employees of all municipalities within the boundaries of the new City become employees of the City. The Transition Board does have the power to hire employees before January 1 and some positions may be filled prior to that time. But beyond the new year, employees in some areas will be required to apply for positions that interest them and go through the interviewing process. You may not get the job you wanted, but if other municipalities are any example there will be a job for you.

Q. What is the deadline for the Task Forces?

A. All Task Forces must have their work complete by October 15, 2000.

Q. Do Task Forces determine senior management staff?

A. It is up to the Task Forces to investigate methods for service delivery for the new City and make recommends to the Transition Board. The Transition Board determines the administrative structure. It also has the authority to hire some key people if it chooses. One individual that the Board is specifically charged with hiring is the new Chief Administrative Officer (CAO), and the hiring process has already begun for this individual.

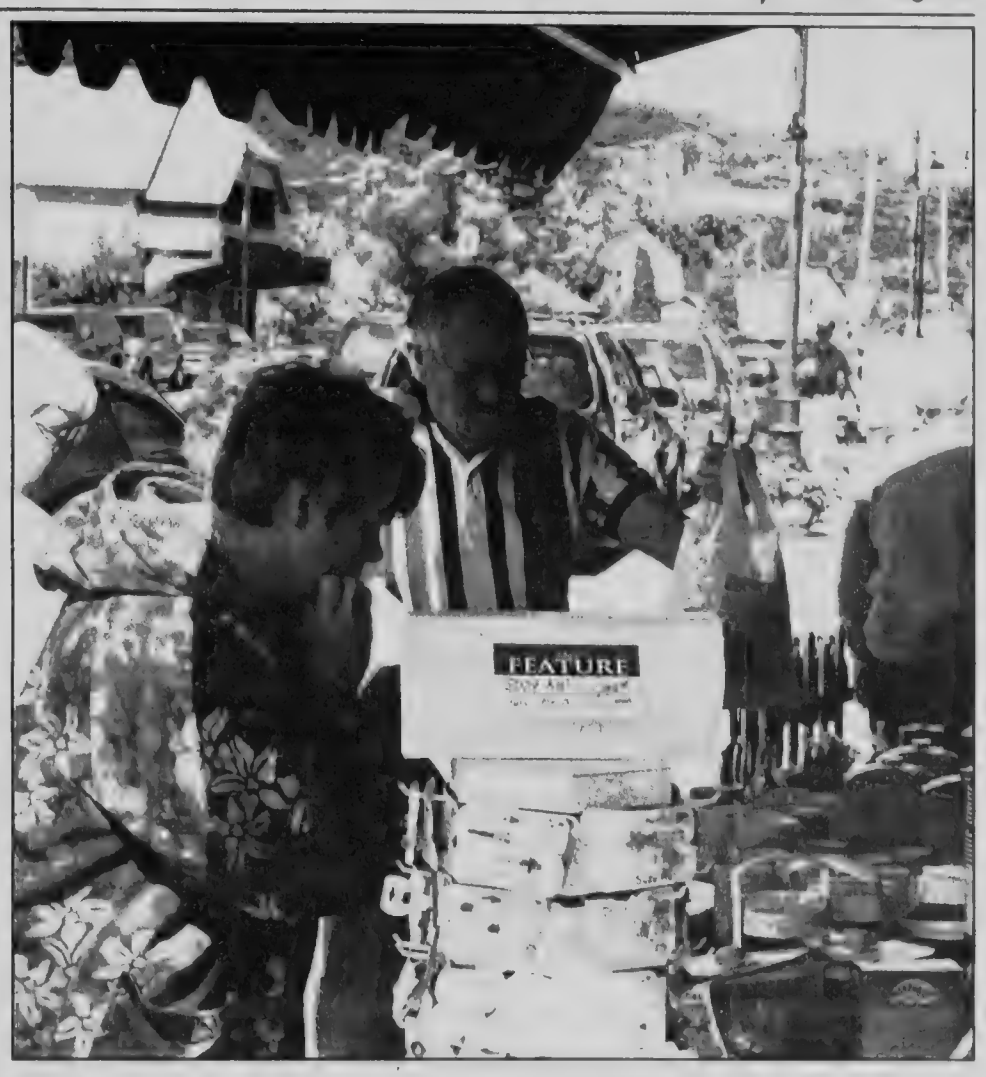
Q. How much is this transition going to cost?

A. Until the Task Forces have wrapped up their work, we really don't know what the final price tag will be, but in his report, Professor Kitchen estimated a cost of approximately $5.5 million.

Q. Will all employees have to work from Lindsay?

A. No. The location of the central offices for the City has not been determined yet. Task Forces will recommend to the Transition Board where the City Offices will be housed as well as where Service Centres will be created. They will also recommend the location for each type of services (i.e. roads, fire, police etc.). There will likely be positions available throughout the City.

(More City of Kawartha Lakes Transition Board FAQs in future editions.)



Shoppers by the thousands converged on Minden's main Street taking advantage of bargains and late summer specials offered by area merchants. This group of eager shoppers examines the merchandise in front of the Minden Drug Store.

Trailer parks may be affected

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tion. "I don't know if the trailer parks have been informed of this or not," says Cameron. "They would fall under this section: 'serves more than five private residences.' It's possible the term private residence has not been defined fully, but that's up to the Ministry of the Environment."

As to why the Minden water treatment plant was named on a Ministry of Environment list which was published in the Toronto Star a few weeks ago under the heading of those whose water supply was not being adequately tested for bacteriological and chemical content, Cameron has still not received an explanation. "I mentioned it to the people who should know and have not been given any reason as of yet," he said.

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Poet finds her muse within the light of Haliburton Highlands surroundings

by Matthew Sitler

A leaf. Its wet flesh on yours
as the sun breaks the lake into light.
Into language without words.

Through your skin the earth feeds you:
tall grass leaning into your thighs,
stone chiselling your foot to its shape,
moss that imprints you. The tang of pine
drawing the sky green.

- taken from Patricia Abram's poem "The Ink of Light".

How many times have people experienced situations and feelings in their lives that cannot be put into words or be easily categorized?

Be it the simple beauty of a sunset over the lake as the day fades, coupled with the haunting call of a loon, or an event as cosmically simple as a baby's first aching cry, many times human experience touches upon something - an intangible mood - that is neither pure happiness nor sadness, but somewhere, frustratingly, in-between.

It is this macrocosm of human reality, a subject that most human beings would enjoy passing-over, that poet Patricia Abram bravely, if not profoundly explores. Whereas the general population either cloaks such experience with generalizations, gladly allowing stiff, Sunday-morning pronouncements to speak for authentic experience, Abram ventures within the fiercely- alive realm of spirit on our behalf.

While we conveniently abandon such higher notions to the proverbial broom-closet, Abram is very much alive and aware in the truest sense. "I always knew from when I was very young, that I'd end up writing," said the poet, during a conversation last week at her cottage off Deep Bay Road, south of Minden."For me, the writing contained in this book represents spirit and the sense of nature."

That book, entitled:*The Ink of Light* was recently published and is an exquisitely detailed adventure of the soul. An adventure which plunges the reader into the illuminating world of connections and meaning. "There is such a deep expression of spirituality and the world of nature in everyone," she continued. "I think that's the whole poetic frame of reference."

Abram's work cannot be contained or described as being of a certain poetic school of thought - be that romantic or otherwise. "I don't really subscribe to that," she said. "I prefer to write from a deep sense of spirit and personal space."

There are three main sections to the book, each addressing an individual poetic theme. "The first section, which is called 'The Ink of Light' is a journey of meditations examining spirituality and that struggle, coming to a sense of insight and discovery," said Abram. This journey carries the reader to the next section which encompasses the experience of women interacting with the light which, within the books context, represents wisdom, insight and affirmation of the soul. The second section is called 'Women Bear Witness to the Light'.

"It's a suite of eight dramatic monologues written from the point of view of women in different historical time periods," she continues. "The framework or background for each of these monologues is inspired by the holy teachings of various religious prophets of the past who have illuminated the human soul with their teachings and poetry." Among the teachers are such revered names as Christ, Buddha, and Zoroaster, and others.

"They have the woman witnessing the light of each prophet who reveals that wisdom to humanity," she said. "This sort of carries on from the essence of the first section which maybe is about a personal kind of struggle or involvement with spirituality."

The last section is entitled 'The Body of the World' and is Abram's way of honouring and paying homage to her family and ancestors - something many people will find interesting, as it addresses easily-identifiable and common themes anyone with a family can relate to.

Throughout, these poems have been influenced by Abram's rich Highlands cottaging experience. For the past 41 years, Abram's family have kept a cottage just outside of Minden on the Deep Bay Road, her poems being inspired by experiences there since she wrote her first poem at the age of 13.

The Inner Light: Poet Patricia Abram in the woods by her cottage

"My writing is so linked with the cottage. The cottage is the whole birthing ground of my writing," she said. "Throughout the whole book there is the metaphor of light."

The picture that adorns the cover of "The Ink of Light" was taken in the woods behind Abram's cottage. "Light in the sense of spirit, self-discovery and the oneness of nature, humanity and divinity." Abram attributes recognising light in this way to "tuning into a deeper sense of perception."

"It's about opening your eyes. It's these ordinary things that you see, they are all sacred if you really try to see them the way they are," she said. "The poems are accessible. A lot of people have come to me and said 'I can read these poems and glean something from them,' they are not too obscure or too dense, and people recognize that - which is good."

Abram works on the poems days, weeks even months at a time. "You go back and you look at things," she said. "I am a writer in residence for the Canadian Authors Association at the Niagra Branch and by suggesting things to other poets/authors, that work inspires mine as well."

Last year, Abram, who writes fiction as well, finished a novel which she entered in the 1999 Chapters/Robertson Davies contest. That was a semi-finalist. "Now I will be revising that, but some of my fiction has been published in "Two Lands: New Visions", a collection of short stories involving ten Ukranian Canadian writers and ten writers from the Ukraine." Published in 1998, Abram's contribution to the book dealt with her protagonist's Ukranian connection and a grandmother she had never met.

Abram served in 1995 as co-editor of Brock University's literary journal, The Harpweaver, and also as poetry editor during 1996/97. Her poetry has been published in Canadian literary journals including The Fiddlehead, The Antigonish Review, The Contemporary Verse 2, and Fireweed, as well as the anthologies Close to the Heart and Vintage 96.

Abram says she would like people to walk away with a sense of unity after reading her book of poetry. "Having that sense of connectedness between all of us," she says. "That's really what its all about."

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Patricia Abram's book "*The Ink of Light*" is available at the Agnes Jameison Gallery Main Street, Minden and Pritchard House, next to the Minden Post Office. The cost is $11.95.

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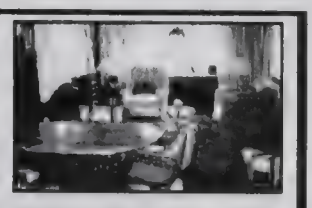

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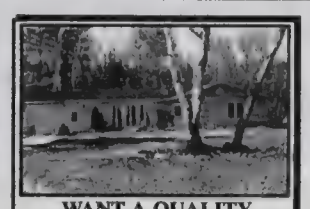

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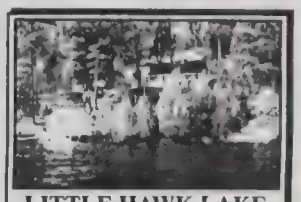

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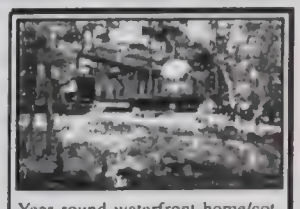

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Lindsay Archer chosen 2000 Haliburton County Fall Fair Ambassador

by Jenn Minto

Lindsay Archer of Minden is the Ambassador for the 136th Annual Haliburton County Fair. The 14 year old was chosen Friday night at the Minden Arena in front of all her friends and family.

The judges' job was much easier this year year as Lindsay was the only contestant to partticipate in the contest. "Just because I was the only person there," explains Lindsay, "does not mean that I was not as nervous."

A student at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School, Lindsay has given her participation in the event a great deal of thought. ,"I thought about it and thought that it would be fun, but it turned out to make a huge impact on my life." Lindsay will be attending Grade 10 in September and is very excited to have this as her new priority.

Currently she works at the local Subway under the management of her parents, Jan and Grant Hutchison.

"I found out about the competition from the former Ambassador, Teresa Kasepchuk," says Archer. "It interested me because I like to do things for our community."

Lindsay was asked 6 skill testing questions that were based around her knowledge of Haliburton County, the Fair, as well as her goals and the person who has had the most impact on her life.

Chosen for her poise, confidence, intelligence and personality, Lindsay has now become an important member of the Minden Agricultural Society's team. She has taken on a very important position in the Fair's events. She expressed her appreciation to her family and friends for their support and the rest of the community for being so helpful in her victory.

Lindsay Archer will serve as ambassador of the Haliburton County Fall Fair during the coming year.

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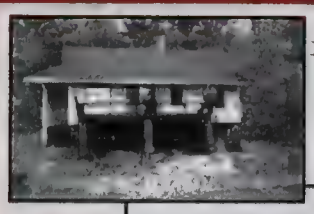

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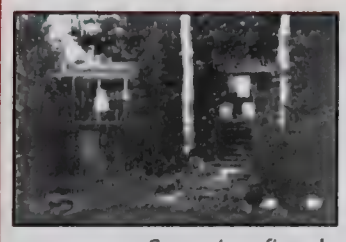

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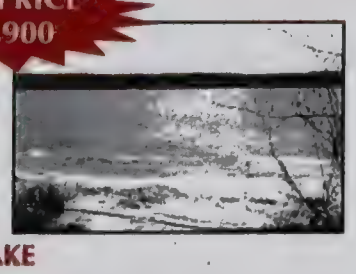

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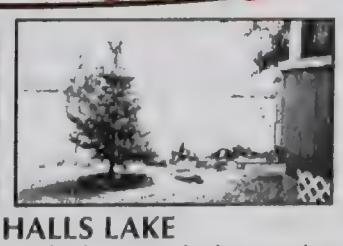

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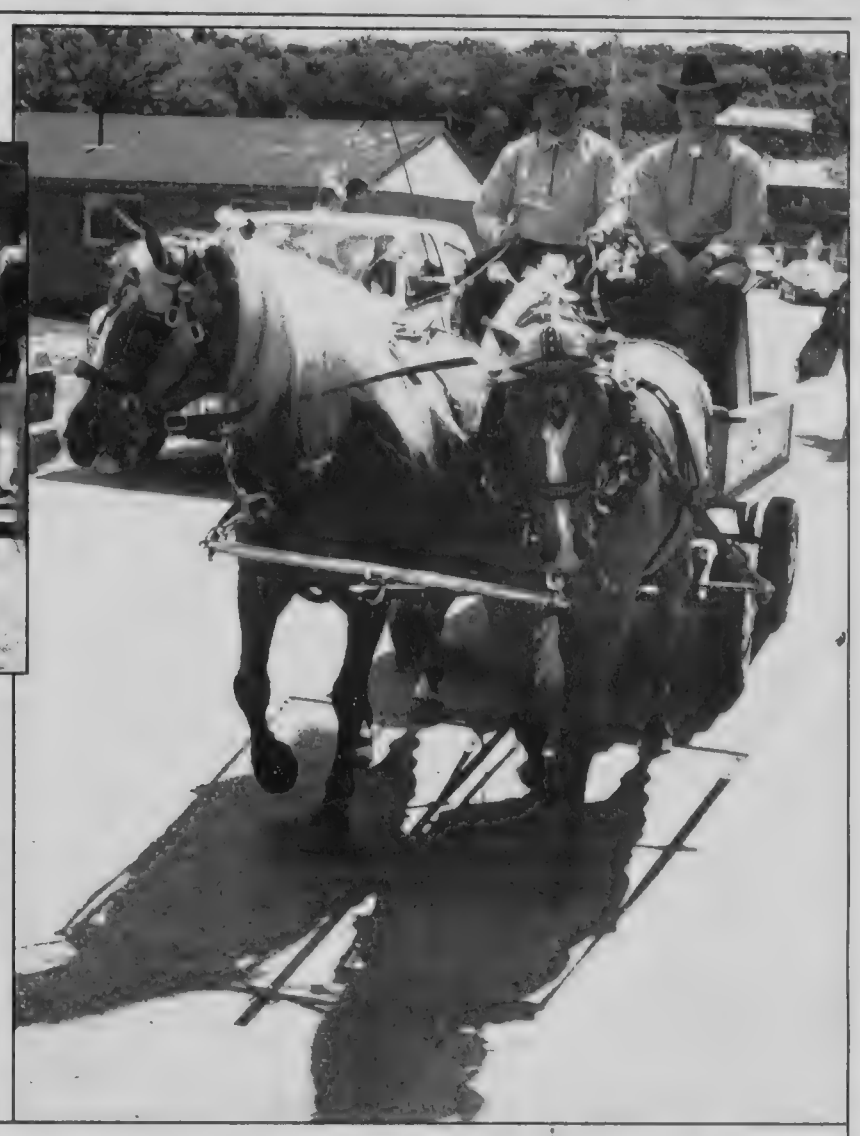

The Haliburton County Fair returned to Minden this past weekend with the usual array of country delights and special treats. The three-day celebration officially got under way Saturday with the traditional parade through downtown Minden. Times photographers were on hand to capture these images of the well-attended parade. Above, miniature ponies come in a variety of sizes; top right, Clayton Cameron and his son with their team of Halflingers; below right, the Haliburton Highlands Silver Flutes march smartly down the Main Street; and below, the float from the Northern Eagle Campground strikes a sixties theme in music and fashion.
See next week's paper for Fall Fair results and more photographs.

Photos by Jerry Grozelle and Jack Brezina

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Ground beef a summer concern

Cooking wisely can protect against foodborne illnesses

The following health advisory was prepared by the Haliburton, Kawartha Pine Ridge District Health Unit.

Drinking contaminated water is not the only way to contract the deadly bacteria E. coli strain of 0157:H7.

While this summer's tragedy in Walkerton highlighted the devastation that can result from drinking contaminated water, some people are forgetting that E. coli 0157:H7 can also be contracted by eating undercooked ground beef.

"Summer is a particularly dangerous time for cases of E. coli 0157:H7 as more people are having barbecues and eating hamburgers," says Dr. Hukowich, Medical Officer of Health for the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit. "Unless that meat has been stored properly, cooked well and handled carefully, the person eating the meat is at risk for contracting foodborne E. coli 0157:H7.

First documented almost twenty years ago, there are approximately 600 cases of E. coli 0157:H7 infections reported in Ontario yearly. While the bacteria has been found in a variety of foods, illness is attributed most often to ground beef.

Dr. Hukowich says that people should be aware that ground beef is not subject to any reqired testing either at the wholesale or retail level.

"When recalls of ground beef occur, it would be dangerous to assume that all contaminated ground beef is being removed from store shelves," Dr. Hukowich says. "The safer action is for people to assume that all ground beef is contaminated and we should store, cook and handle it properly to make sure that it is safe food.

To ensure safety, people must:

- wash hands before, during and after handling any type of food, especially raw meat.
- clean all utensils and work surfaces before and after use with the detergent and hot water. A mild bleach solution can be used as an extra precaution.
- preheat the barbecue before cooking to ensure that it reaches the temperature needed to fully cook meat.
- keep uncooked meats away from other foods and do not use the same plate or tray for uncooked and cooked meats.
- the USDA Food Safety Inspection Service and the 1997 FDA Food Code recommend cooking ground beef to an internal temperature of 68 degrees Celcius or 155 degrees Fehrenheit for at least 15 to 16 seconds. Reliance on cooking until all pink colour is gone is not as reliable as using a meat thermometer.
- using pre-cooked frozen hamburger is a safer alternative to using fresh meat.
- eat food as soon as it is ready.

To learn more about safe cooking practices, residents can contact Anne Alexander, Director, Environmental Health, Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit, (905) 885-9100, ext. 227.

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To nominate simply write a letter of less than 500 words to FWIO describing the ways your nominee has worked as a volunteer, exhibited or otherwise participated at the Royal. Include the names and phone numbers of three people who agree with your nomination.

Send your nomination to: FWIO, 7382 Wellington Rd. 30, R. R. 5, Guelph Ontario N1H 6J2; or call Ruth McDonald at 1-519-692-3203 for details

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This Award of Excellence in Agriculture for deserving women volunteers at the Royal is open to all women in Canada who are Canadian citizens and have made a contribution to the Royal. They need not be Women's Institute members.

Deadline for submission of names is September 1.

Chamber of Commerce, radio station in promotion partnership

A new partnership among Pinestone Resort, the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce and CHAY FM will provide live radio coverage for 16 county events over the next calendar year. An estimated 2.5 million people in Central Ontario, including the GTA, will be hearing about the Haliburton Highlands on a regular basis and will be kept up-to-date on county events through weekly radio spots and on-site broadcasts.

The partnership kick-off saw CHAY FM morning team Ted Telford and Diana Meder host the Haliburton County Fair on Saturday, August 19, 2000 from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. The Chamber has already partially sponsored live broadcasts from the Wilberforce Rock and Gem Show and the Haliburton Rotary Carnival.

PineStone Resort, as the lead partner, will fund half of each 4 hour on-location remote broadcast; the Chamber and each event will fund one-quarter. The deal includes pre-event advertising spots, giveaways and prizes. "It's an exciting new time for both PineStone Resort and the Chamber so this is a particularly welcome alliance," says Carol Moffat, Events and Marketing Co-ordinator for the Chamber of Commerce. Organisers of targeted events will be contacted in the upcoming weeks to be invited to participate.

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Rails' End Gallery and municipality agree on redevelopment plans

by Matthew Sitler

The following is a summary of some of the items discussed at the August 21 meeting of Dysart et al Municipal Council.

Dysart Town Council will advance up to $20,000 to the Haliburton Highlands Guild of Fine Arts to be used towards a proposal which seeks to restore the Rail's End Gallery to it's original beauty. The Rails' End Gallery proposed to hire a consultant or consulting team to develop a plan through the continuing partnership of Council and Gallery which will ensure the long-term viability of the gallery. The council approved the request.

The Haliburton Guild of Fine Arts, the body which managed the Rails' End for 22 years, has undergone identity changes and requires the evaluation in order for new managerial directions to be formulated.

The old railway station in which the gallery is located is owned by the municipality. The meeting was told the building is in a state of disrepair necessitating an immediate infusion of funding. A strategy formed by the Haliburton Guild of Fine Arts would see the Gallery:

(A) develop a renewed operation scheme that would involve its participation with major partners such as the Haliburton School of the Arts,

(B) develop a sound business plan for its operation,

(C) research secure funding sources.

The Municipality, according to the strategy, would:

(A) create a Facility Rehabilitation Plan for the Rails' End Gallery or review the options for an alternative location,

(B) develop a site plan that would include: a renewed Haliburton Railway Station, the newly developing trail along the Drag River and a new visitor center.

It is the Haliburton Guild of Fine Arts' contention that the Rails' End Gallery plays an important cultural role in the County, and that its activities play an important economic role in contributing to the attraction of cultural tourists to Haliburton County and that they directly and indirectly influence spending, employment and taxes in the County.

Tax Bill Insertions

The Township of Dysart et al, has agreed to place inserts in its next tax mailing for the Haliburton County Home Support Services and the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation.

ATV's

Council has given a grant of $2,500 to the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association to assist in dealing with the growing ATV use of its trails. "We've talked about this before, something has to be done regarding the organization of the ATV's," said Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey.

"The Haliburton County Snowmobile Association can't spend dollars on ATV's. Somebody has to do something. It's a big buisness, and its not going to go away. This is a gesture until they get things up and running about the issue."

Tender Highway 118

The Council of Dysart has awarded a tender for Highway 118 to Royel Paving of Lindsay in the amount of $463,819.25 This is subject to confirmation by MTO staff.

Eco Waste

Eco Waste Solutions has presented Dysart Town Council with a $2 million proposal. That amount would put a program in place, said Reeve Murray Fearrey, that would be "reasonably sized." The company provides a controlled, high temperature incineration system which it claims will eliminate all but ten percent of the waste going into the Dysart landfill sites.

"We in fact have a former Councillor, Peter Curry, who will be contacting them and who will travel to that operation to gather information on operating costs, capacities etc," said Fearrey. Curry is expected to bring his report to Council within three weeks.

However, the County Environmental Committee still has questions regarding the process. "There are no solutions, but there's all types of questions," said Fearrey regarding the CEC questions. "Including: 'Will there be public meetings?'" Answering his own question, he said, "Yes there will be."

Clear Garbage Bags

Dysart Town Council discussed the option of requiring the use of clear garbage bags within the Municipality. "I think it's a pretty valid thing that we should encourage the municipality to do," said Reeve Fearrey. "You can't tell what's in a green garbage bag and never will. As we get further into recycling, this would help."

Fearrey said it should be done municipality-wide, if not right across the province. "It won't make Mr.Glad happy," said Fearrey. "But there you have it."

Race heats up in Kawartha Lakes

The race for the positions of councillor in the northern portion of the new City of Kawartha Lakes is heating up.

The three wards in the northern section of what is now known as Victoria County, all have a strong field of candidates. Wards Two Three in particular now have four and five candidates registered respectively for the November vote. Two candidates have so far indicated they will contest the Ward One seat.

As of August 17, the position of Mayor of the new municipality still has only two candidates. Lindsay Mayor Art Traux and Victoria County Warden and Laxton, Digby and Longford Reeve John Macklem are the two contenders for that position.

The council contenders include:

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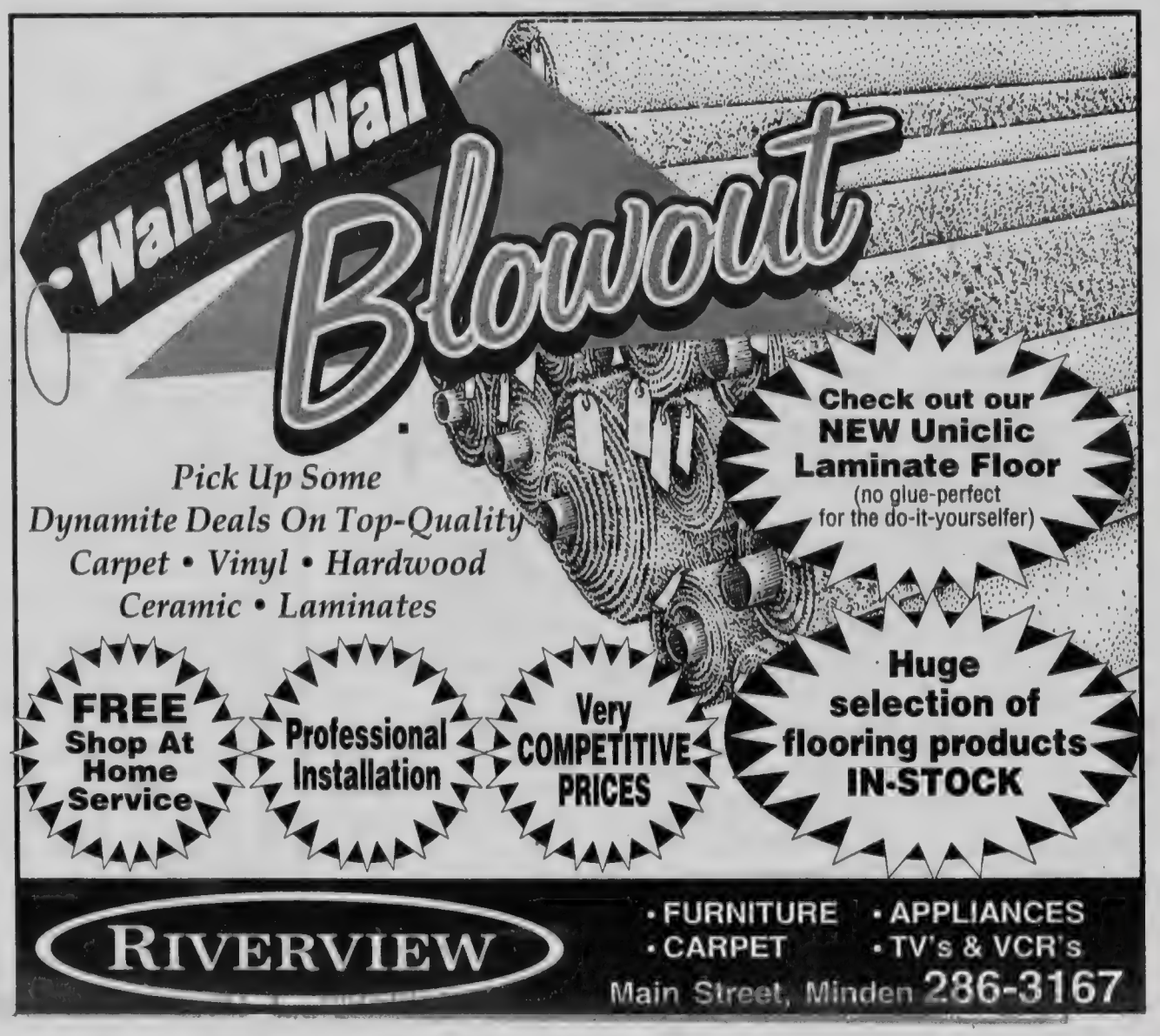

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Ballantyne Month continues at The Times

It is certainly an interesting month for the Ballantyne family of Minden, especially in relation to The Times.

Last week we featured Tanner Ballantyne on our front page as he admired one of the entries at the Minden and District Horticultural Society's annual flower show. This week it is his Mother's turn to take the spotlight. Kim Ballantyne was the winner of The Times Sidewalk Sale subscription draw. She renewed her subscription during the sale on Thursday and was eligible for the draw.

Kim was presented with a gas barbecue, tank and grilling tools by Times publisher Jack Brezina. Tanner, an old hand at this news paper photo op thing, hams it up for the camera while his younger brother Curtis, left, looks on. Congratulations to Kim and thanks to everyone who took part in the Sidewalk Sale Subscription raffle.

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Although the summer may be drawing to a close, there are still a few weeks left before the end of this year's bug season.

Even if mosquitoes in Ontario do not cause diseases, mosquito bites are still an unnecessary annoyance. "There is no benefit to getting bitten by mosquitos," says Dr. Huckowich, Medical Officer of Health for the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit. "The more precautions we can take to avoid being bitten, the better off we are. These insects cause swelling and discomfort when they bite, leading to scratching and skin infections for some people."

People who travel to other parts of the world where mosquitos can spread serious illness need to ensure they take precautions to avoid being bitten while they are away. "Getting into the habit while still at home, can help protect residents later," says Dr. Huckowich.

In order to help prevent mosquito bites, the Health Unit encourages the following precautions be adopted.

Personal Protection

• Mosquitos are most active from dusk to dawn. If you need to be outdoors at this time, cover up and use insect repellant.

• When working in the garden, avoid early morning and early evening when mosquitos are most active.

• wear long-sleeve shirts, long pants and socks when outdoors during these active times.

• apply insect repellant to exposed skin with the following guidelines:

1) Always follow the manufacturer's instructions
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• don't allow any outside water to stand for more than four days

• cover rainwater barrels with mesh or screen

• don't allow water to collect in any unused containers by either turning them over, drilling holes in the bottom or bringing them inside.

• remove or drain any standing water that collects on pool covers

• turn over children's wading pools, when not in use.

• clear leaves and twigs from eavestroughs, storm and roof gutters through the summer.

• make sure drainage ditches are not clogged

• immediately throw away lawn cuttings, raked leaves and other decaying items such as apples or berries that fall from trees and place them in sealed garbage bags.

• turn over compost on a regular basis.

• remove areas such as dense shrubbery where mosquitoes breed and rest.

• try to keep mosquitoes out of the house by ensuring that door and window screens fit tightly and do not have holes.

For more information, contact: Dr. Hukowich, Medical Officer of Health, Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit, (905) 885-9100, ext. 223.

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Dated at the Township of Lutterworth this 14th day of August, 2000.

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Dog days at Hyland Crest

Senior League
by the Roving Reporters

Here we are again. Ready to chat with you for a little while and catch up on our recent news. We're sitting here with our tea and coffee, so sit down and join us.

We'll begin with our Tea Party on August 10. Our hosts were a group from Club 35 and they came bearing some delicious goodies. We especially enjoyed tucking into the homemade tea biscuits. Jack and Ruth our weekly visitors were also with us and we all had a lovely social get together. Our thanks to everyone.

Northern Jam provided great entertainment for our Happy Hour the following afternoon. Good music and good company, who could ask for anything more. Once again our thanks. Over the weekend we noticed a few visitors calling in. Gord Kennedy was unable to visit with us on Saturday afternoon, but Nancy kept us well entertained. We had fun together and finished up with ice cream.

The week began with our monthly Residents' Council meeting that was well attended. One of our canine visitors, Gypsy, just popped in. A lovely retriever and very friendly. Later that day the avid card players met for a couple of hours of euchre while others played cribbage.

Quite a few of us celebrated Holy Communion at Tuesday Chapel with Rev. Everall while others joined in Prayer Friends. The following day, a giant of a dog was here for her weekly visit. An Irish Wolfhound by the name of Louie (not sure if that's how her name is spelled). A lovely dog, but so big she should have a saddle, no kidding, she's that big, but we do enjoy her visits.

We were so pleased to see Betty Walkinshaw popping in with her little dog, it's lovely to have visitors.

Wednesday ended with Gord Kidd entertaining us at our Pub Night. A good time was had and we thank Gord for coming. It was also great to see Bev Upton again.

While we were sitting here, gathering up the news, Marg popped in to tell us what she is planning for her program this morning, "Marg's Creations". Her group is going to make "24 K. Gold" jewellery. Apparently today is the 104th anniversary of the discovery of gold in the Yukon. Did you know that? We didn't. Marg told us that she once lived in the Yukon for five years and she showed us some authentic Yukon gold jewellery. Bet her group enjoys this morning's activity. Also popping in to say hello is Krissie, another wonderful canine visitor.

Must tell you that one of our Roving Reporters had a chance to tour the new hospital facilities in Haliburton and was very impressed. Won't be long before the hospital facilities here will be finished. Lots of change! There are weekly tours of our residential unit taking place and quite often there is a resident happy to show people around.

Saturday, August 12, was a special day for Thelda Weston. Her daughter was married at the Anglican Church in Minden. It was just great that Thelda was able to attend. They certainly had beautiful weather, makes for some great photos.

We extend a warm welcome to Gerald Coulter who is here on respite care. We hope he enjoys his brief stay with us.

There are a few messages to pass on before we sign off.

First of all our birthday greetings go to Marion Chinery who celebrates on August 28th and Pauline Maciejok whose birthday is August 29th. Hope you both enjoy your special day.

Vera Stevens wishes to be remembered to Dorothy Evans. Vera and her late husband Walter were part of the congregation of the Anglican Church in Minden, and Vera remembers Dorothy donating a lot of her time to the Church. Also Vera and Walter once lived in Hunter Creek Estates. Her thoughts are with you Dorothy.

Just found out that Rick Edwards is back from hospital. Our thoughts continue to be with you.

We hear that Sue, (one of our dietary staff), who has been off sick for some time, may be coming back soon. Hope your check-up goes OK, as it will be good to have you back.

We wish to send get well wishes to Administrator Gary McKnight who is currently in hospital. We're thinking of you Gary.

One more announcement - The fun auction that was scheduled for August 26th has been cancelled until further notice. We will keep you posted.

Our thought for the day:

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In all the ways you can
In all the places you can
At all the times you can
To all the people you can
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Around the County Town

by Nora Snyder (call 286-4450: email <mindenhouse@on.aibn.com>)

A bright, shiny, crisp, morning as I sit here writing. A beautiful August morning. After a day of transition; a day carrying the first hints of what is to come; a day full of wind, big temperature change and some rain. That wind was blowing leaves around and as I watched them skid across the lawn, it felt like I clicked into body memories of the feelings of other days like that one, all experienced through a lifetime.

Our bodies obviously remember when they are triggered by even small signs of a seasonal change. Those blowing leaves stirred feelings of colour, cool, the perpetual passing of life from one season to another.

I would think if you moved to a climate with no seaons, you would miss that inner stirring of nature's living cycle. Another reason to love living in our country and county!! Those stirrings feel so core to our Canadian lives.

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Another reminder of the Old Fashioned Family Fun Day at the Lochlin Park and Community Centre on Sunday, August 27, starting at 1:00 pm. and going until dusk. There will be lots to enjoy: live music; a classic car display; the Lion's Dunk Tank; face painting; a magic show; beef on a bun; corn on the cob; and lots more. Bring your own lawn chair and join in the fun.

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Our community is and has been buzzing with so much activity. I am sure you all loved the Haliburton County Fall Fair on the weekend. Another great way to be out in nature and to experience another part of our life here in the Highlands. There is that word 'Fall', so I guess it is official. Also saw an ad for 'Winter' bowling so that is really jumping ahead. Obviously we are getting organized for the season.

Talking with my daughter the other day, we both realized with a shock at the closeness, that in two weeks my grandson, Clement, starts Kindergarten. Now that is the beginning of a very long season in a young man's life; the school years. In no time that will be over too!! Life seems to happen in the blink of an eye!!

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Have a glorious week in the waning weeks of summer!!

SCORING NEWS

Thursday, August 10: Euchre at the Minden Legion: Pat Roussel and Iris Taylor won the most lone hands. Vicki Campagnolo and Frank Campagnolo took the high scores and Vi Edgson and Tod Edgson took the low scores. Now isn't that interesting! Makes for harmony at home!! The other prizes were won by Helen Lee, Joanne Campagnolo, Maxine Cross and May Bradbury.

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Friday, August 11: Duplicate Bridge at Echo Hills: North/South: in first with 60% were Sharon Carruthers and Nick Lehozcky; in second were Mildred Davidson and Tom Hunter with 54%. East/West: in first were Maria Lehozcky and Evelyn Wolfe with 63%; in second were Grace Smyth and DorothyMcIntyre with 57%.

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Bid Euchre at Club 35. Mary Pearson won two and Ken Stiver, Milt Fletcher and Willi Cox each won one moonshot. The High Pinks: were Mary Pearson, 281; Jeanne Penick, 279; and Willi Cox, 249. The High Whites were: Al Whyman, 251; Robert Schad, 244; and Pat Scadden, 241. Vicki Campagnolo found the hidden score.

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Monday, August 14: Euchre at the Friendship Club at St. Paul's: Jack Chilton and Ester Lee each won most lone hands. Ed Hisson and Iris Taylor won the high scores and Don Hicks and Laura Carnegie won the lows. Kevin Maloney found the hidden score and Pearl Cowen and Bill Mosley were lucky to win the draws.

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Senior Bid Euchre at the Kinmount Legion, Ida Young and Thelma Francis were the high scorers. Ida Young also won two moonshots and Vic Ballick won one. Gladys Bowman won the one and only draw.

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Euchre at Club 35: Tom Orr won the 50/50 draw. Marcel Lamothe won lone hands. Olive Jones and Tom Orr took the high scores and Helen Windsor and Garth Windsor (another happy family!) took the lows. Wayne Farr took home the baloney .

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Cribbage at the Minden Legion: Roy McDonald and Frank Campagnolo were the high scorers. Verna McDonald, Elva Paisley, Ann Baker, Diane Lafitte, Maxine Cross and Esther Lee each won a draw.

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Tuesday, August 15: Senior Bid Euchre at the Minden Legion: Marcel Roussel, Bud Bayes, June Branning and Pat Roussel were the top scorers. Gala Stamp and Pearl Cowen each found the hidden score. June Branning, Kevin Maloney (2), Verna McDonald, Bud Bayes and Shirley Elcome won the moonshots.

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Bridge at Stanhope: No slams were bid or made that afternoon. The scores of the day were less than memorable!! First was Grace Smyth with 5500; Ray Moore, second with 5010; Ross Fletcher, third 4537 (!!); and Wally Thomson, fourth with 4490. Being in the top four is notable none the less!! The Special Award, the B.Y.S.S.M.P.B.A.!! (But You Should See Me Play Baseball Award!!), went to the fun-loving Frank Schlotter!!

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Wednesday, August 16: Duplicate Bridge at Parklane: In North/South: first with 59.5% were Ross Fletcher and Muriel McIntosh; second, with 59%, were Mike Collins and Hal. In East/West: first, with 63% were Ev and Fred Vanderland; second, with 56% were Reet Murray and Norman Wheeler.

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Euchre at the Kinmount Legion: The women's high and low went to Sandra Robertson and Lucille Carter. For the men, the high and low were Jim Corbett and Stan Scribes. Three won most lone hands in the names of Jim Corbett, Bob Vick and Wib St. Thomas. Thelma Francis won the 50/50 draw.

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Bid Euchre at Stanhope: Milt Fletcher, Don Burch, Gayle McConnell, Eleanor Smith and Ken Stiver each won a moonshot. The high scorers were: Al Whyman, 268; Marcel Lamothe, 277; Jeanne Penick, 277; Gayle McConnell 288; Grace Smyth, 294; and Don Burch, the highest, 306.

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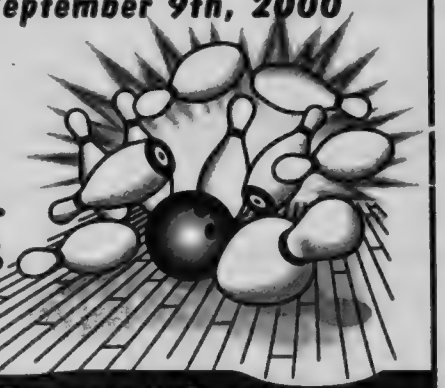
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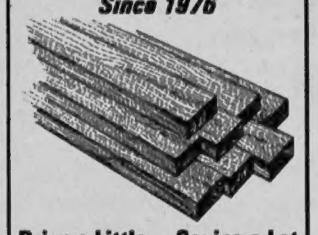
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